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Sir:

Please amend above-identified the application follows:

## IN THE ABSTRACT

Please replace the paragraph beginning at Page 24, Line 4 and ending at Page 24, Line 11 with the following:

An apparatus for measuring concentration of a material in a process fluid includes an antenna configured to contact the process fluid and a pulse generator coupled to the antenna to generate a microwave transmit pulse through the antenna.  $\mbox{\@mbox{$ receiver receives a reflected pulse from the antenna and the concentration of the material is calculated as a function of the reflected pulse.